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December 30, 1994

TO: ALL COUNTY CLERKS/REGISTRARS OF VOTERS AND
PROPONENT (94320)

FROM:

Cathy Mitchell
CATHY MITCHELL
INITIATIVE COORDINATOR

Pursuant to Elections Code section 3520(b), you are hereby notified that the total number of signatures to the hereinafter named proposed INITIATIVE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT filed with all county elections-officials is less than 100 percent of the number of qualified voters required to find the petition sufficient; therefore, the petition has failed.

TITLE: STATEWIDE ELECTIONS.
INITIATIVE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

SUMMARY DATE: July 12, 1994

PROPONENT: Thomas B. Neece

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July 12, 1994

TO ALL REGISTRARS OF VOTERS; OR COUNTY CLERKS, AND PROPONENT (94169)

Pursuant to Section 3513 of the Elections Code, we transmit herewith a copy of the Title and Summary prepared by the Attorney General on a proposed Initiative Measure entitled:

STATEWIDE ELECTIONS.
INITIATIVE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

Circulating and Filing Schedule

1. Minimum number of signatures required 615,958
Cal. Const., Art. II, Sec. 8(b).
2. Official Summary Date Tuesday, 07/12/94
Elec. C., Sec. 3513.
3. Petition Sections:
 - a. First day Proponent can circulate Sections for
signatures Tuesday, 07/12/94
Elec. C., Sec. 3513.
 - b. Last day Proponent can circulate and file with
the county. All sections are to be filed at
the same time within each county Thursday, 12/08/94
Elec. C., Secs. 3513, 3520(a)
 - c. Last day for county to determine total number of
signatures affixed to petition and to transmit total
to the Secretary of State Tuesday, 12/20/94

(If the Proponent files the petition with the county on a date prior to 12/08/94, the county has eight working days from the filing of the petition to determine the total number of signatures affixed to the petition and to transmit the total to the Secretary of State.) Elec. C., Sec. 3520(b).

d. Secretary of State determines whether the total number of signatures filed with all county clerks meets the minimum number of required signatures, and notifies the counties Thursday, 12/29/94*

e. Last day for county to determine total number of qualified voters who signed the petition, and to transmit certificate with a blank copy of the petition to the Secretary of State Friday, 02/10/95

(If the Secretary of State notifies the county to determine the number of qualified voters who signed the petition on a date other than 12/29/94, the last day is no later than the thirtieth day after the county's receipt of notification.)
Elec. C., Sec. 3520(d), (e).

f. If the signature count is more than 677,554 or less than 585,161 then the Secretary of State certifies the petition has qualified or failed, and notifies the counties. If the signature count is between 585,161 and 677,554 inclusive, then the Secretary of State notifies the counties using the random sampling technique to determine the validity of all signatures . . . Monday, 02/20/95*

g. Last day for county to determine actual number of all qualified voters who signed the petition, and to transmit certificate with a blank copy of the petition to the Secretary of State Monday, 04/03/95

(If the Secretary of State notifies the county to determine the number of qualified voters who have signed the petition on a date other than 02/20/95, the last day is no later than the thirtieth working day after county's receipt of notification.)
Elec. C., Sec. 3521(b), (c).

h. Secretary of State certifies whether the petition has been signed by the number of qualified voters required to declare the petition sufficient Friday, 04/07/95*

* Date varies based on receipt of county certification.

4. The Proponent of the above-named measure is:

Thomas B. Neece
9475 Laughlin Way
Redwood Valley, CA 95470
(707) 485-0487

5. Important Points:

- (a) California law prohibits the use of signatures, names and addresses gathered on initiative petitions for any purpose other than to qualify the initiative measure for the ballot. This means that the petitions cannot be used to create or add to mailing lists or similar lists for any purpose, including fund raising or requests for support. Any such misuse constitutes a crime under California law. Elections Code section 29770; Bilofsky v. Deukmejian (1981) 123 Cal.App. 3d 825, 177 Cal.Rptr. 621; 63 Ops. Cal.Atty.Gen. 37 (1980).
- (b) Please refer to Elections Code sections 41, 41.5, 44, 3501, 3507, 3508, 3517, and 3519 for appropriate format and type consideration in printing, typing, and otherwise preparing your initiative petition for circulation and signatures. Please send a copy of the petition after you have it printed. This copy is not for our review or approval, but to supplement our file.
- (c) Your attention is directed to the campaign disclosure requirements of the Political Reform Act of 1974, Government Code section 81000 et seq.
- (d) When writing or calling state or county elections officials, provide the official title of the initiative which was prepared by the Attorney General. Use of this title will assist elections officials in referencing the proper file.
- (e) When a petition is presented to the county elections official for filing by someone other than the proponent, the required authorization shall include the name or names of the persons filing the petition.
- (f) When filing the petition with the county elections official, please provide a blank petition for elections official use.

Sincerely,



DEIRDRE AVENT
ELECTIONS ANALYST

Attachment: POLITICAL REFORM ACT OF 1974 REQUIREMENTS

DANIEL E. LUNGREN
Attorney General

State of California
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE



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July 12, 1994

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In the office of the Secretary of State
of the State of California

JUL 12 1994

Tony Miller
Acting Secretary of State
1230 J Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

TONY MILLER
Acting Secretary of State
[Signature]
Deputy

Re: Initiative Title and Summary
Subject: Statewide Elections. Initiative Constitutional Amendment.
File No: SA 94 RF 0016

Dear Mr. Miller:

Pursuant to the provisions of sections 3503 and 3513 of the Elections Code, you are hereby notified that on this day we mailed to the proponent of the above-identified proposed initiative our title and summary.

Enclosed is a copy of our transmittal letter to the proponent, a copy of our title and summary, a declaration of mailing thereof, and a copy of the proposed measure.

According to information available in our records, the name and address of the proponent is as stated on the declaration of mailing.

Sincerely,

DANIEL E. LUNGREN
Attorney General

KATHLEEN F. DaROSA
Initiative Coordinator

KFD:jm
Enclosures

Date: July 12, 1994
File No.: SA94RF0016

The Attorney General of California has prepared the following title and summary of the chief purpose and points of the proposed measure:

STATEWIDE ELECTIONS. INITIATIVE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

Provides that the statewide primary election shall be held on the first Sunday following December 10th of any given year. Also provides that all other state, county, and city elections shall be held on the first Sunday following April 15th of any given year.

Summary of estimate by Legislative Analyst and Director of Finance of fiscal impact on state and local governments: Required changes in the statewide primary election would result in unknown but probably minor additional costs. Required changes resulting in new state, county, and city elections separate from and in addition to the statewide primary and combined election would result in unknown costs of up to \$40 million dollars for each such new election.

12 MAY 1994
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YOUR FILE NUMBER
SA 94 RF 0016

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The California State primary election will be held on the first Sunday following December 10th of any given year. And, further, that all other California State, County and City elections will be held on the first Sunday following April 15th of any given year.

Pursuant to sections 3502 and 5358 of the Elections Code, the undersigned proponents of the attached proposed initiative provide the following information:

No appropriation for a particular project contained within the text of the attached proposed measure, if any, was included in the exchange for campaign contribution or a pledge for a campaign contribution for purposes of qualifying the attached proposed measure for the ballot.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the forgoing information is true and correct.

Executed on, 13 MAY 1994, at
UKIAH California.

Thomas B. Neece Proponent

____ Proponent